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Trove Energy and Water, LLC (OGRID 372488) c/o Ben Stone

**RE:** Administrative Order SWD-2021; Extension of Deadline to Inject

Well: WLC M Federal SWD No. 2 (API 30-025-47453)

Located: Unit H, Sec 23, T25S, R33E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico

Order Date: December 16, 2019

Injection formations: Devonian and Silurian formations; 17150 feet to 19250 feet

Dear Mr. Stone:

Reference is made to your November 19, 2020 request on behalf of Trove Energy and Water, LLC (the "operator") to extend the deadline to commence injection stipulated in order SWD-2021 for the above referenced well for reasons outlined in your correspondence. The current deadline date to commence injection under said order is December 16, 2020.

It is the Division's understanding from your correspondence that since the date of issuance of this permit, no additional wells that penetrate the approved injection interval were drilled in the one-mile Area of Review (AOR) and no new affected parties have been identified in the AOR. Therefore, the extension request could be reviewed administratively for approval.

The Division finds that for reasons you have stated, the granting of this request to extend this administrative order is in the interest of conservation, will prevent waste, and will protect the environment. Therefore, the deadline to commence injection for the existing order is hereby extended until **December 16, 2021**.

All requirements of the above referenced administrative order and agreements in the application remain in full force and effect. Any additional extension of the deadline to commence injection for this administrative order will not be considered unless the operator has already commenced drilling of the referenced well. Otherwise, the injection authority shall expire under the terms of the extended administrative order and the operator shall be required to submit a new application to obtain injection authority for the referenced well.

ADRIENNE SANDOVAL

Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Hobbs District Office

Order SWD-2021